

Rice and General.—YUEN FAT HONG.

February 21, ACTIV, Danish steamer, 355, N. C.

ral.-ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

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Apenrade, Gorman str., for Hoihow.

Sungkiong, British str., for Tientsin,

Nestor, British str., for Singapore.

Ludia, German str., for Yokohama.

Taisang, British str., for Swatow.

Fidelio, German str., for Swatow,

Bangkok.

for Yokohama.

Chai Peng Chin.

Fokien, British str., for Swatow.

BUN Ho.

Revsbeck, Quinhon 17th February, Gene-

Ajubita, Saigon 17th February, General.-

February 21, IRIS, British schooner, 206, H. C.

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21st February

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February 21, DIOMED, British str., for tinga-

February 21, CICERO, British str., for Saigon.

February 21. DEVAWONGSE, British str., for

February 21, NESTOR, British str., for London.

February 21, Lydia, German tr., for Yokohama

February 21, TAISANG, British str., for Shanghai.

February 21, GENERAL WELDER, German str.,

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REPORTS.

The British steamer Lennoz from Saigon 16th February, reports had light variable winds and smooth sea; thence to port, fresh northerly winds and confused sea.

The British steamer Yuensang, from Shanghai 15th February, and Swatow 20th, reports on the 16th February light winds and high S.S.E. sea. On the 17th and 18th, very thick Fog. On the 19th arrived at Swatow. From Swatow to Hongkong, fresh N.E. winds and moderate sea.

The American steamer City of Peking, from San Francisco 22nd January, and Yokohama 15th February, reports from San Francisco to Yokohama, had fresh winds from N.W., West and S.W., the entire passage: From Yokohama to the 16th, strong gale from S.S.E.; thence to Hongkong, fresh N.W. winds and rough sea.

The British steamer Haitan, from Focobow offered at the usual prices. 17th February, Amoy 19th, and Swatow 20th. reports from Foochow to Dodd Island, had thick fog and calm weather; thence to Amoy, strong N. . . gale and high sea. From Amoy to Lammocks, strong N.E. wind and high sea; from thence to Swatow, less wind and sea but overcast weather with rain. From Swatow to port, strong N.E. wind and considerable sea with dark overcast weather. In Amoy str. Tameui, and 2 Russian men-of-war. In Swatow strs. Hailoong, Canton, and Taichiow.

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By Command, F. FLEMING. Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 18th February, 1890,

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WINES AND SPIRITS

BY APPOINTMENT.

that the custom is not sanctioned on their

thods are devised to check it. The re-

quisites to make a particular custom good, as

we learn from the law books, are these

(1). It must have been used so long that

the memory of man runs not to the contrary;

(2) it must have been continued; and (3)

option of every person, whether he will use

it or not; and (7) consistent with each other.

one custom cannot be set up in opposition

to another. Here we have a custom set up

which so far from being reasonable and cor-

tain is opposed to common honesty and would

be denied, we believe, by the employer of al-

most every shroff in the Colony. Shroffs are

usually secured, but if they are to be held

exempt from the operations of the criminal

law, if they may appropriate their employer's

money with impunity (always provided they

comply with the Acting Chief Justice's con-

dition of not falsifying the accounts and

not practising concealment after they are

found out)-if this is to be the state of

affairs we should imagine it will be rather

difficult for shroffs to find persons willing to

secure them in future. A shroff when

purposes of course intends to return it, just

as a shop boy may borrow money from the

return it if he wins, but if the latter is dis-

covered before he has been able to so return

see the distinction between this case and

money, whether for gambling or other pur-

poses. The money may possibly be recevered

from the security, but that does not alter the

has purchased the White Star steamer Arabic

A "pick-up" cricket match will/be played to-

day, commencing at eleven o'clock sharp. Al

for their Rotterdam and New York service.

blockade.

at that hour.

-residing in the Sailor's Home.

at noon on the 19th inst. for this port.

Singapore on Thursday evening for Hongkong.

The Agent informs us that the O. & O.

Francisco to the 4th inst. has arrived at

Yokohama, and will leave for this port at 5 p.m.

The S. F. Call save the case of the United

States against Colonel John S. Mosby was argu-

A site at Magazine Gap has been selected for

the Governor's hill residence, provided terms can

be made with the owners of the land, which is pri-

vate property. The old name of "Mountain

Lodge" would probably be deemed unsuitable

steamer Occapic, with neils, &c., from San

criminality of the shroff's misappropriation

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Sherry, White Capsule 10 Superior Old Dry Pale-Natural Shorry, Red Scal Capsule 10 1.00 it he is held guilty of stealing. We cannot D Very Superior Old Pale choice old Wine, White Seal Capsule......

E Extra Superior Old Pale Dry, very finest quality, Black Seal Capsule (Old

Quarts. CLARETS. A Superior Breakfast Claret. St. Estephe, Red Capsule ... 4.50 5.00 St. Julien Per doz. Case. Per Bot. BRANDY A Hennessy's Old Pale, Red

\$12 \$1.10 B Superior Very Old Cognac, Red Capsule 14 1.25 C Very Old Liqueur Cognic Red Capsule D Hennessy's Finest Very Old Liqueur Cornac, 1872 Vintage, Red Capsule..... 24 2.00 SCOTCH WHISKY. Thorne's Blend, White Cap-

Watson's Glenorchy Mellow Blend. Blue Cansule. with Name and Trade Mark. Watson's Abelour-Glenlivet, Red Capsule, with Name and Trade Mark Watson's H K D Blen of the Finest Scotch Malt Whiskies, Violet Cansule... Watson's Very Old Liqueur

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Old, Green Capsule 12 1.10 GENUINE BOURBON WHISKY. fine old, Red Capsule, with A Fine Old Tom, White Cap-B Fine Unsweetened, White

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Good Leeward Island ...\$1,50 per Gallon. Benedictine Maraschino Curaçoa -Heoring's Cherry Cordial Chartreuse : Dr. Siegert's Angestura

The acquisition of a site on the proposed redismation in front of the Cricket Ground for a new house for the Hongkong Club is under consideration. The removal of the Club from its case of alleged embezzlement by a shroff was old land marks. present position would indeed be a changing of

for the new site.

wish to become Fellows.

.The Exchequer Court at Ottawa has decided n the case of Carter. Macy & Co., importers, of own purposes, but he was nevertheless ac | New York, v. The Queen, the point being quitted, on a ruling of his Lordship that bewhether tess from Japan for transportation to cause it is a custom of shroffs to use money Canada, stored in bond in New York till a customer is found in Canada are liable for duty. they have collected for their employers, to The customs officers claimed that they were -do so does not constitute the crime of em. holding tens really imported from the United bezzlement. The ruling is a most remark- were direct importations. The court held to able one, and opens a wide door for dis- this latter view. honesty. The prosecutor in the case in

The local agent of the Straits Fire Insurance question did not wish to press the charge. Company, Limited, has received a telegram It is unnecessary to inquire into his reasons. from the Head Office stating that the re-The simple question before the Court was port for 1889, which has just been issued, recommends a second and final dividend on the one of right or wrong, and the Judge 1888 account of 21 per cent. and an interim decided that it is not wrong for a ser- dividend of 41 per cent. on the 1889 account; vant to use his employer's money. How. the Reserve fund has been increased to \$20,000 the nett premium for the year amounts to. ever astounding this may be, it is what \$171,535, and the losses to \$30,890; and the his Lordship's remarks amount to. The balance of working account to \$119,818. complainant, who, as already stated, did not.

Now is the winter of Foochow's discontent. wish to press the charge, said in reply to Not only is the tes trade declining year by year, and accounts have been in your bands for some questions by the Judge that "it was not but the community also, to such an extent, as we days and if you have no objection will now be unusual for shroffs to make a temporary use gather from some correspondence in the local taken as read. As explained, the business of the paper, that at this sesson not enough men can Company fell off considerably owing to the high be got together to make up a cricket match, prices which had to be maintained for rop, and Dr. Kerr was chosen Chairman and secretary, while several attempts that have been made by which naturally affected the demand for it. In and Mr. G. D. Fearon the Hon. Treasurer. small plays on the stage have proved unsuccess- fit, and as our unsold stocks and consignments | we feel confident that the object simed at will | tered the world first, the family decided that not a breach in itself of his position." His ful. Without business and without smusements stand in the books at a safe valuation I think command the approval of benevolent and hu- Robert should inherit the title. George pro- following :- For the second time Timbuctoo has 'Old Tobohow " must indeed be a dull place.

other day in the United States Consular Court will be resumed early next month, as our stocks ed to perfect the means for the care and the history of the British peerage. in Yokohama. During the hearing of a charge | are getting low while orders unfilled are accumu. | comfort of this helpless class of the human brought against various citizens who were ac- lating. The price of the raw material at Manila family. In all this vast Empire not a single taken any felonious intent? The money onsed practically of embezzling the person of is at present lower than it was at any time last Asylum exists, and those who are thus afflicted, had all been accounted for. There was no a Fijian sailor, a member of the audience pre- year, and if this should last while the demand whether among the poor or rich, are subject to says: There is a growing opinion that hir on the upper Niger or September 16th last, and sumed to yawn. Small fry, such as reporters for our rope continues to improve as it has lately hardship and ill treatment in many forms, often | Charles Dilke will soon re-enter British | olitics | that he made the journey of about 800 miles to and other people, have been rebuked for rend- done, I have little fear but that we shall be able resulting in premature death. The contact of and take the place he once held before the people. Timbuctoo in safety, and remained in that element of fraud, concealment, shown." The ing newspapers in Court, but we fancy few per- to lay before you an equally good report this Western civilization with the Empire is making Editor Stead, Dilke's greatest enemy, has re- famous city for a short time and then returned Acting Attorney General said if such was some have been more emphatically reproved time next year. Before moving the adoption of the Government and people familiar with the next year. Before moving the adoption of the Government and people familiar with the next year. Before moving the adoption of the Government and people familiar with the next year. than the yawner on the occasion now under the report and accounts I shall be happy to mate ial improvements of modern times, and they the Pall Mail Gasette and has sunk into com- six weeks, and natives everywhere gave him a notice. hir Greathouse remarked that he ob- answer any questions from shareholders. the case, and the jury, by direction of the served some one yawning in Court. This alle There being no questions, the Chairman pro- advantageous; but benevolent and charitable the Review of Reviews. Englishmen looked This is very different from the experience of sion made the yawner "sit up" rather sud posed the adoption of the report and accounts as institutions, if established on a permanent basis, upon Stead once as her greatest social reformer, Lieutenant Caron. In the first place Tidrana. this it follows that if a servant is sent to which it referred. If the yawning person, Mr. Benjamin second d and the motion was collect a bill and on his way back turns into Mr. Greathouse added with gentle sarcasm, carried. belonged to the American persuasion, it was Mr. Tomes proposed the election of Messes. within the bounds of possibility that a sleep. Gillies, Moses, and T. E. Davies as consulting sity of providing Asylums for the insure, but has continued to pursue Sir Charles Dilke, creat. the French would draw away the trade of that provided he makes a clean breast of it and ing place could be provided for him there, committee. does not practice concealment or falsify the on the spot, and within the Consular Compound, while if he should happen to be an alien the influence of the United States Consulate-General could be relied on to procure him suitable so- BENJAMIN, Messrs. F. Henderson and T. Arnold

has collected when called upon must be February 11th has passed, the date fixed by Count Okuma for the enforcement of the cow held in reason, if not in law, to have embez-Januare treaties with the United States, Gerzled it. But the Acting Chief Justice's rul- many, and Russia, and there are no signe of their being enforced. The Shogyo Shimpo considers ing is, we think as contrary to law as it is that this may be taken as proof that Count to reason. In the first place, can a custom Yamagata's Cabinet propose to smend the treain favour of a prisoner be established by the ties, and says the negotiations are consequently suspended. What is the nature of the smendments it does not profess to know, but presumes That shroffs do wrongfully use the money that recent private conferences between the in their hands is a matter of common know. Ministers of the United States, Germany and their employers were called it would be found

The New York Herald of the 28th December, 1889, reports the arrival at that port of the ship Fred. B. Taylor, and the death of the captain's wife, etc., as follows:- "Ship Fred. B. Taylor, Captain Tilley, from Hyogo, 135 days, reported August 15th and 19th encountered a heavy typhoon, commencing at E.N.E. and canted to N. and W., during which lost three lower topsails, foresail, foretopmest staysail, and storm spanker, and doing other damage; had five seamen badly hurt, and one of them had his leg peaceable; also (4) reasonable; and (5) cer- broken; September 14th, Tenjinchi Dajtri, a tain; (6) compulerry, and not left to the Japanese seamen, fell from aloft on deck and was killed; November 24th, captain's wife died; December 11th, latitude 18 N., longitude 55, encountered a hurricane from E.S.E. to S.S.W."

At St. John's Cathedral, on Monday after-100n, at 5.45 p.m., Mr. Sangeter will give an Jegan Recited, of which the following in the programme:--

The Heavens are telling"

(Mr. G. P. LAHMEER.) colo—He shall feed His flock (Mrs. Gobbas.) (Mrs. HUMPHREYS.) Inius Animam (Organ Solo)..... - (From Stabat Mater.)

The San Francisco Chronicle of the 22nd ult says :- Rev. Dr. A. S. Van Dyck, a missionary discharged. of Amoy, China, for seven years past, arrived here yesterday, accompanied by his family. Dr. Van Dyck says Amny is one of the hardest mis using his employer's money for his own sion fields in the world. The natives are steeped in heathenism, and the mandarius are very slowto show the missionaries any favour. Lately, however, they have allowed them to locate various till to bet on horse races with, intending to schools and missions. The Reformed Church which he represents, has eighteen churches, twenty ministers, six parochial schools, an acade my, a theological seminary and a girls' seminary in the province of Fokien, of which Amov. wit 60,000 people, is the capital. Of this entire population there are not over 200 Europeans, and that of a shroff who uses his employer's the missionaries have a pretty lonesome time

it. He thinks, however, that the missions are

succeeding very well, considering the obstacles

Some three hundred houses along the Tokaido between Kanagawa and Hodogaya were destroyed by fire on the 5th inst. The outbreak took place before six o'clock p.m., and under the influence There will be a game of Polo on the Raceof a powerful southerly gale the flames advanced rapidly in the direction of Kanagawa, while at It is announced that a Netherlands Company the same time the glare in the sky indicated to residents of Yokohama that an unusually fieres conflagration was going on. Yamashita and Shibomura, the two localities that suffered, are No Eastern mail was received at San Franactically continuations of Kanagawa cisco dering the week previous to the sailing of ing situated on both sides of the Tokaido the P. M. steamer City of Peking, owing to snow and close along the base of the Kanaga The fire broke out in a sma tenement in Yamashita, its origin being it is generally supposed incondiary, but was at once communicated to the larger houses, and easily wishing to play are requested to be on the ground crossed the Hachioji road, which passes through Yamashita. Thence the flames advanced along the base of the high bluff, burning nearly every The Agent informs us that the Silk ex O. & house that lay in their course, and making fre-O. steamer Gaelic, hence 18th ultimo and from quent diversions up the face of the hill. Here Yokohama 28th ultimo, were delivered at New and there large godowns left standing attest their value in times of danger, but for the most part the combined villages have been levelled The body of a European found floating in the with the ground. The fire travelled about half harbour by the Police has been identified as that a mile along both sides of the highway, it being of John Mississis, as unemployed seaman, lately almost impossible to do anything in the way checking it in consequence of the great heat and the volumes of smoke and sparks that rolled along before the flames. Finally after burning The General Managers (Mesers, Jardine, for five hours the fire seemed to exhaust itself. Matheson & Co.) inform us that the Indo-China steamer Kutsang from Calentta, left Singapore though the efforts of a party of American manof-war's men, combined with a change in the direction of the wind are credited with having a good deal of effect. A large tobacco factory was The Agents (Messrs, Jardine, Matheson & 'o.) inform us that the Glen Line steamer Glenfruin, from Liverpool and London, left

high.-Japan Mail.

ed on the 17th January in the Supreme Court the damage done necessitating the Felbridge public welfare which occupied his attention. having a list to starboard at the time. One if lar ground, by adopting the report of its Com- removed. not two of the plates are broken, and others mittee embodying the following, viz :- "Resolbent, while the ribs inside are broken or injured. | wed, that we recommend that the carrying out of The damage is serious, but to what extent can the scheme for the establishment of an Asylum not be determined until the vessel is in dry for the Insane in Canton be committed to the dock, where she will probably be two or three gentlemen interested to form a separate Society." weeks, either at Yekosuka or Nagasaki. The On the 18th February several gentlemen, who Felbridge was to have left for Yokohama yester- had previously intimated their willingness to act day with the balence of her oil, 12,000 cases, as trustees of an Asylum, were asked to meet for and have then proceeded south to take up a consultation and the following, presented by Dr. time charter. All the demage the Mutsu Moru | Kerr, was adopted as a basis of action :sustained was a few inches of paint off her stem.

> HONGKONG ROPE MANUFACTURIN COMPANY, LIMITED.

yesterday afternoon at the offices of the General present :- Messrs. W. H. Forbes (Chairman). J. S. Moses (Director), S. S. Benjamin, C. A.

Listerland Dramatic Society to put come spite of this, however, we have made a fair pro. In presenting this statement to the public among the doctors and nurses as to which enwe may consider the result on the whole a very mane reople of all nationalities and religions, tested. As a compromise the family occursely astisfactory one. The factory has been shut In Europe and America every State has asylums propose to give George a handsome ununity and journey has been made by Lieutenant Jaime of A somewhat singular incident took place the down since the beginning of the year, but work for the insane and no cost or labour is spar-one or two titles. There is no parallel case in the French navy with the gruboats Niger and

> Mr. WATSON seconded. Carried unanimously.

On the motion of Mr. Mosks, seconded by Mr.

SUPREME COURT. 21st February.

IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION. BEFORE MR. A. G. WISE, ACTING PUISES the people.

FRAUDR SMITH v. J. ANDREW. This was a claim for \$400 for money lent. . Mr. Webber was for the plaintiff; the defendant did not appear.

The plaintiff, editor and proprietor of the Hongkong Telegraph, said that on the 12th November last he lent the defendant \$400, for which he received the memorandum produced He had made application for repayment several times but the money still remained unpaid. ... Judgment for plaintiff with costs.

> 21st February. BEFORE MR. H. E. WODEHOUSE.

POLICE COURT.

UNREGISTERED BROTHEL. Chang Apat, was charged with keeping an unregistered brothel at 42, Station Street, on the 20th inst. Inspector Horton proved the case and his Worship imposed a fine of \$25.

A YOUNG THIEF.

Lam Atan and Lam Ayow were charged with stealing a silver bangle from the arm of a Portugese child, aged 13 months, in Bridge Street on the 20th inst. A Chinese ameb gave evidence of the theft and to calling the attention of a Chinese constable to the first defendant. Chu Choi, P.C. 269, stated he arrested the first defendant; who said the second defendant took the bangle, but witness had not found it. The first defendant admitted the charge and

Haydn, knew nothing of it. strokes with the rattan, and the second to be war for silver in a quarter where some sub-THE ALLEGED STABBING CASE.

listurbanne on board the Fushiki Marn on the 23rd ult., in the course of which a Chinaman silver question in general, all parties to be was stabbed with a knife.

Dr. Lowson stated that the man was admitted into hospital suffering with an incised wound Sin. long and over an inch deep under the left arm-pit. The man was also suffering from wound on the palm of his left hand bin. long. The wounds were no doubt done by a kuife or are expected. some sharp instrument. The man was in danger for some time, but was now convalescent, although he was not discharged from hospital yet. His Worship committed one of the defendants for trial on the charge of outting and wounding, and imposed a fine of \$5 or seven days uponsuch of the other defendants.

BREACH OF QUARANTINE REGULATIONS. Captain Dodd, master of the steamer Sunciong, was charged with committing a breach the 15th inst. without flying the quarantine flog. Mr. Mengens, second boarding officer, stated hat he went on board the defendant's steamer on her arrival from Swatow on the 15th inst and the master reported to him that his second engineer had died the day previous at Swatow from small-pox. The witness asked him why he did not fly the quarantine flag as according law the defendant should have done so. replied he had no copy of the regulations, but he went to the quarantine ground until he was released therefrom by the Heath Officer. The defendant said he was ignorant of the law and had not a copy of the port regulations.

but he asked the boarding officer when he came on board what was the proper thing to do. He had since got a copy of the regulations. His Worship in addressing the defendant, sid-You are liable to a penalty \$2,000 for not attending to the rules, and the sooner you understand them the better. I think you act ed in ignorance, and not from any intention to evade the law, and I shall therefore make the. penalty a nominal one. You will have to pay the nominal fine of \$10.

AN ASYLUM FOR THE INSANE.

The question of providing an asylum for insane Mutsu Maru and the Felbridge :- The collision Chih tung, the late Viceroy, a plan for the incognito. between the steamship Felbridge and the Nippon establishment of such an institution, but this A FUNNY YARN—THE PRINCE AND THE POTAT Yusen Kaisha steamship Mutsu Maru appears met with no response, owing doubtless to His to have been more serious than at first reported; Excellency's own numerous schemes for the

We, the undersigned, do form ourselves into a provisional Committee for the purpose of inaugurating

plans for the establishment of an Asylum for the Insame in Canton or its vicinity; The Committee will in the first place prepare in the Chinese language, and circulate, literature bearing on the subject of instally, its causes, and the rational and humane methods of treating this afflicted and The sixth ordinary general meeting of the belpless class of our fellow men. Plans of building shareholders of the above Company was held which have been found in western countries best adepted for the custody and care of the insane, will be Managers (Messrs. Russell & Co.). There were for the support of such institutions will be enforced. The Committee will take charge of any funds entrusted to its ours for the above purposes, and when Tomes, G. T. Watson, A. Duer, and R. Shewan | the time arrives for the practical execution of the scheme, it will take steps for the formation of a Socioty which shall have the management of any in-The CHAIRMAN said : - Gentlemen, the report stitution that may be established. J. G. KERE T. W. PEARCE

B. C. HENEY

(George D. Fearon)

in contact with and influence various classes of root long ago. Within that last few months sun- without fighting. Mr. G. D. Fearon, of Messrs. Deacon & Co.,

Canton, has kindly consented to act as Hou. Treasurer, and those who desire to contribute to the object in view may communicate with him, J. G. KERR. Chairman of the Provisional Committee.

THE AMERICAN MAIL.

American mail of the 22nd ult., arrived here early yesterday morning. The subjoined telegrams are taken from our San Francisco files:-THE ANGELUS ON EXHIBITION AT CHICAGO MAJ Go. 194 (In Chicago, 18th January, A large number of members of the press and art critics visited the residence of J. W. Elleworth in this city this evening upon invitation for a private view of Millet's great painting "L'Angelus," which arrived in this city to day from the East. It will be placed upon exhibition to-morrow with the Verestchagin collection. "D'Angelus" was sold by Millet for \$6,000. 1881 it was purchased by M. Secretan, the great copper trust operator, for \$82,000, and upon failure was purchased by the American Art Asecciation for \$110,000. The painting will probably never be on public exhibition again, as it will go from here to London, where an offer \$1:0,000 has been made for it to form part of private collection.

THE SIEVER PROBLEM. WASHINGTON, 21st January. Senator Jones of Nevada introduced to-day a bill providing for the stoppage of the colnage of gold coins of small denominations, such as Mrs. Humphreys, Mrs. Gordon, and Mr. Crow.) (a previous conviction, ; the second defendant \$1 and \$3 pieces, as well as silver 3-cent pieces, His Worship ordered the first to receive 10 | Next week promises to see a renewal of v stantial good will be accomplished. The House Committee on Coinage, Weights, and Measures Four Japanese were charged with causing a announceed to-day that, beginning next Monday there will be a series of hearings upon the given a hearing upon days set for each respect tively. As the silver executive committee wil meet on Monday prepared to go before the committee of the house armed with information on all points, and as the gold men are also

> Chicage, 21st January. A special from New York says: There i rumonr on Wall Street which, considering the or brilliant in conversation. At this time he discussion generally on Scorotary Widom's silver said he should not immediately return to Brent proposal, occasions considerable comment. Messrs. Zimmerman & Forshay announced a place at Sandsgate, in Kent. He then went that they had received advices from London to the offect that the Bank of England is about exercise its right never hitherto asserted, to use silver to the extent of one-third of its reserve the port regulations, by entering the harbour on and issue £1 silver notes against it. The dis patches also said that the bank had nurchased \$3,090,000 of silver bullion in anticipation of this

> > THE PANAMA CANAL.

PANAMA, 17th January The president of the committee appointed study the canal works, in an interview to-day, said that the committee had found the condition of the works and plant extremely satisfactory. He denies the statement that the committee. five members of which are here, is or has been in any way infinenced by the Do Lesseps party: The committee is composed of twelve engineers who have had no connection or interest in either

No report of the work of the sugmeers her will be published until they return to Paris and join their confreres, who are studying the plans or the completion of the canal under the condi ions conceded by the Colombian Government NEW YORK, 20th January

The Telegram this evening asserts that New baring had a violent paroxysm, during which he York capi clists are considering the advisability broke all the windows in his room. Since that of investing to complete the Panama Canal. THE PRINCE AND PRINCESS OF WALES MA LONDON, 20th January.

It is stated on excellent authority that the Prince of Walse contemplates a visit to America Chinese is one which forces itself on physicians in the spring. He will be accompanied by the who are in charge of missionary hospitals. Princess of Wales and possibly by Prince Among their patients are many of this class, and George: The royal physicians have for some occasionally they are left on the hands of the past been advising the Privcess to undertake a in its vicinity escaped. So fierce were the flames physicians, when the want of suitable accome sea voyage for her general health; and now that modation and means of treatment become only | she has suffered so severely from influenza the rethat they swept right over the top of the bluff, too manifest. At the fiftieth annual meeting of commendation has been urgently renewed. The which must, at that point be over 100 feet the Medical Missionary Society a proposition Prince has also been considering the Atlantic was adopted looking to the establishment of an ramedy for some time in connection with his asylum in Canton or vicinity, and a Committee own recent ailments. The journey will be con-The Hyogo News on the 11th inst. gives the was appointed to take the matter in charge, fined to New York State and Canada, as the following account of the collision between the This Committee submitted to H. E. Chang time is limited. The royal party will travel

LONDON, 21st January. The tradesmen who supply royalty are ontitled at Washington. Conel Mosby argued his case going into dry dock at either Yokosuka or Prof. E. P. ibwing, M.D., of Brooklyn, to put the royal arms over their shops, and those Nagasaki. It appears that in coming in on N.Y., with whom there had been some correspon. who cater to the Prince of Wales have the right £1.700 on her. He conceived a dislike for Se-Saturday at 1250 p.m. the Mutsu Maru found dence on the subject, arrived in Canton some to show his three upright feathers in the same Mr. E. J. Ackroyd, who has been appointed herself in the position of having either to run months ago, and took a deep interestin the efforts way. One night lately the Prince of Wales and the corresponding Secretary in Hongkong of down a sampan full of passengers or running to establish the first Asylum for the Insane in the | the Dake of Edinburgh were returning home the Royal Colonial Institute, informs us that he the risk of fouling the Felbridge, then lying at | Chinese Empire, Before leaving America he had rather late, when, as they passed Joe, the wellwill be happy to receive the names of these who suchor shead of her. She avoided the small brought the matter before public bodies and known tater man in Pail Mall, they took a boat, but before she could bring herself up she societies interested in the welfare of those suf- fancy to taste his wares and were accommodated had come into the Felbridge's port side, denting from mental diseases in their various by Joe with a red-hot baked points from a can. the steel plates fully ten inches in. The shock forms, and had received words of encourage. for which they paid a penny each and proceeded was not felt on board the Japanese steamer, a ment and promises of aid. Prof. Thwing and on their way. Joe had recognized his customers, vessel of 452 tons, but a couple of men were Dr. Kerr had interviews in Canton and Hong- and the next day his 'tater can was decorated knocked down on board the Felbridge. . The kong with the committees in charge of the Oi with a flaring gilt sign, showing three feathers latter vessel is built on the web-frame principle, Yuk Tong and Tung Wa Hospitals, who are and the legend "Purveyor to H. R. H., the in three holds, and, for unately for all con- leading men in these cities, and they admitted Prince of the Wales." He stationed his apparacerned, she was struck on one of her angle the importance and necessity of an institution tus opposite Mariborough House, to the Prince's irons. Had the blow come on either side the of this kind, but as it was not in the line of mingled amusement and dismay. The Prince Felbridge must have been out in two. The work on which their societies were formed they sent an equerry to order him away, but Joe reblow extends from a few feet below the main were not ready to take it up as an additional fused to budge and kept on doing a rushing deck downwards to below the water-line, where work. At its last annual meeting, Jan. 24th, trade. At last the Prince ordered Sir Franci the full force of the blow was felt, the steamer 1890, the Medical Missionary Society took simil- Knolles to buy him off, and the feathers were

> FUNERAL OF LORD NAPIER. London, Elst January. Lord Napier's funeral occurred this morning.

Great crowds gathered in the streets to wilness the military pageaut, which was impressive. The body was placed on a gun carriage at the armory of the Royal Horse Artillery, the gun carriage being draped with the Union Jack. Lord N. pier's planted hat and sword rested on the corfin. The carriage was drawn by six black horses. and escorted by the Lancers. A long line of morning coaches followed, including the Queen's state carriages. One was loaded with flowers and wreaths, sent by the royal family. The funeral train was met at St. Paul's Jathedral by the Prince of Wales, who attend ed the services in the cathedral. The mass military about the cathedral presented an unusually grogeous spectacle. Among the attendants at the services were Prince George, the Dake of Cambridge, the Dake of Edinburgh. Princes Teck, Hatzfeldt and Christiam. General Wolseley, the Ministers of War and Admiralty, the Lord Mayor of London, and thirty members of the Municipal Council. As the procession dispersed, about 2 o'clock

rain fell heavily, and the crowds of spectators made a wild rush for the stations. Many were Lord Napier of Magdala left two sons, twins,

Robert and George. After much discussion DILKE AND STEAD. NEW YORK, 19th January.

are adopting such of them as they consider parative obscurity as editor of a journal called friendly reception. to the circulation of literature which will impress the public mind far more than anything else is on the right bank of the Niger, was opposed on officials and people the importance and neces- the mailignant and cruel manner in which he to Caron going to Timbuctoo, because he feared they will be stimulated and encouraged to action ing occasions gratuit-uply for insulting and city, from which he derives a large profit. Simulated and encouraged to action ing occasions gratuit-uply for insulting and city, from which he derives a large profit. Simulated and encouraged to action ing occasions gratuit-uply for insulting and city, from which he derives a large profit. Simulated and encouraged to action ing occasions gratuit-uply for insulting and city, from which he derives a large profit. Simulated and encouraged to action ing occasions gratuit-uply for insulting and city, from which he derives a large profit. Simulated and encouraged to action ing occasions gratuit-uply for insulting and city, from which he derives a large profit. Simulated and encouraged to action ing occasions gratuit-uply for insulting and city, from which he derives a large profit. Western countries, and we feel it will be peou- pleasure in dragging his name from year to year visited him. "You come to my house and into Force of wind FIRST ASYLUM FOR THE INSANS IN CHINA. Story of Stead's relation to that famous scan- my wife. If you try to go to Timbuctoo there should be an international work, just as the dal it would be sourcely possible for him to will be war," But Caron, nothing dannied, went as any other servant sent to collect money marks at once created a protound and elect ine dividend was rested by say, it will be published, documents and all, but threat and di not attempt to molect, him. He and if unable to produce the amount he terest in the proceedings.

being got out and it may not be long before this I their lives. truth is ripe for exposure to the world. I believe. ALLEGED TREACHERY BY PRINCE BISMARCK absolutely, that Dilke's innocence will be established, and it will be a matter for distinct repret if along with this some illumination is not thrown on Stead's motives in this protracted and ent. in which it is stated on trustworthy au-The P. M. steamer City of Peking, with the

THE PROPOSED BRIDGE AGROSS THE ENGLISH LONDON, 18th January: bridge across the English channel propose to when Salisbury had almost fallen into the trap start the structure on Monday between Grisnez and Ambletuse to pass over two rocky banks of the Varne and the Colbart onding at Folkestone. a distance altogether of about twenty four and a half miles, the greatest depth being about 181 Rismarck's scheme was to lead Great Britain bridge. The bridge will be lighted at night, the defeat of England, she being shut out from each pier forming a lighthouse. The total height | the Black sea, magnify considerably the imof the structure measured over all from the bettom of the foundation to the highest point on

CONDITION OF MR. BUSKIN. LONDON, 18th January. John Ruskin, the great English critic has become hopslessly insane. The story of the great man's break down, as told yesterday by a genbusiness and private relations with Mr. Ruskin. is as follows :---Mr. Ruskin's mind has been gradually failing for seven or eight years. The first public sus-

picion of the fact occurred at Oxford in 1886.

when, after delivering several lectures of a series,

being allowed for the passage of vessels.

he broke down during the delivery of one, became incoherent on the platform and greatly exercised the feelings of the sympathetic andience. He delivered no more lectures there, and the matter was hushed up. His health improved, and in getting puguacious, interesting developments 1888, the occasion of his last visit to London. he went_to_the_Academy, the Grosvenor, and other gaileries in company with Oscar Wilde. a and was never more prespicacious in comment word, his residence in Cumberland, and he took to France, and after spending some time at Amiens went thence to Florence on a visit to Miss Alexander, and seemed in good health. Venice, however, he had an attack and broke down mentally. Mr. and Mrs. Severn, living at Brantwood, were sent for, and in company with them and two physicians he was brought bome. Of his life at Brentwood since his return we little is known. In July last, however, Miss Kate Greenaway went to visit him, but her stay was brought to a sudden termination by an unfortunate occurrence. In company with Ma Ruskin she went out on the moor back of Brentwood to make some water-colour sketches. In the midst of her work she noticed that her companion was acting and looking strangely and talking incoherently. Sud denly he seized her colours and large brush and angrily daubed paints of all kinds all over her sketches. She ran back to the house and informed Mrs. Severn, who sent an attendant out for him, she having had an attendant in waiting on him ever since his return. Since that time Mc. Ruskin has been necessarily confined to his own hor o. No one outside of the Brentwood people is seen him since August In November-reports reached London-of-his

> leaves his bad, he will never go outside of the His doctor is Charles Powers, a local practitioner of middle age. Wr. Ruskin's family phy. ing the country and securing permanent relasician was Dr. Aclands of Oxford, a life-long tions with the unhabitants. friend but a difference of opinion between them in 1875 deprived him thereafter of Dr. Acland's services. Mrs. Severa, Dr. Powers, and two attendants now have him in charge, and all being Joan of Arc. The attitude in which she will

time he has been in-bed continuously. He

refuses all except liquid food and manifests no

desire to get up. He is steadily growing

weaker, and the probability is that even if he

Mrs. Severn, whose name has been mention-d so frequently of late, is a lady of fifty. She was the adopted child of an elderly lady cousin of Ruskin's, and on the decease of the cousin became Mr. Ruskin's only relative, with the exseption of another cousin, Captain Ruskin of the army. The two consins have, however, not been on speaking terms for many years. On the occasion of Mrs. Severa's marriage with Mr. Severn a water-colour artist. Ruskin settled vern soon afterwards, and for years Severn has not been permitted to live at Brentwood, though his wife has dwelt there continuously. They have yer, who for twenty years has been the secretary lived together only during Mr. Ruskin's visits of a wealthy charitable organization, has ababroad. Mr. Ruskin has made a will leaving Brentwood to her. The house is a wonderful! treasury of art and other valuables whose worth cannot be estimated. The owner in twelve years past has spent over £100,000 on artistic gems of Emperor of Austria is officially and emphatically various kinds, and these, in addition to his many | denied. The story, though so persistently cirpresents from friends, make a winderful collection. There are contributions from many great | jesty is much annoyed by these rumours. English and foreign artists, sketches innumerable, and a collection of precious stones. Among his remarkable possessions are 300 missals, some of them Illuminated, which are worth a small edition, the Stor and Freeman's Journal for fortune in themselves, Brentwood and its con- contempt of court, in commenting on the tents comprise about all Mr. Ruskin's estate. O'Shea-Parnell case. All his money has been expended there. The

ncome from his books is between £4,000 and £5.000 per annum: -A-REMARKABLE-PHARE-OF-THE-IRISH LAND New York, 20th January.

A Journal special from London sava: Tipperary is the scene of the most extraordinary event that has yet marked the history of the land war in Ireland. Tipperary, the capital of the county, is being transplanted. The old town has fallen under the ban of the agent of the Pon sonby estate, Smith Barry, and the children of the men who built it up and were the cause of its prosperity are being forced at the point of the bayonet to quit their homes. Smith Barry long ago won his spars as the "boss" Irish evictor, but he has met his match in the Tipperary boys. A few fields away from the old town a new Tipperary is springing up on friendly ground, and in less than a month Smith Barry will have nothing left him but a ruined wall and his constabulary. Excellent houses are being erected with all possible speed, under the superintendency and general direction of Alderman Meagher, M.P. At least two members of the Parliamentary party give wise counsel to the people, and show them the way in which Tipperary men can strike a blow without resorting either to the trampled, but it is not known if any were fatally | blunderbuss or pike. The struggle now going on in Tipperary is attracting great attention here and much sympathy is expressed with the people. TO TIMBUCTOO BY STRAMBOAT. Parts, 20th January.

A New York Sun correspondent forwards the been reached by steamboats, and this time the Maga. It was with the Niger that Lieutenant Caron made the first trip to Timbuctoo in the summer of 1887. The only news yet received is A cable special to the Times from London that Lieutenant Jaime started from Kulikoro,

In the promotion of the object which we have treschery and worse with is back of these con- Timbuctoo to induce them to give the explorer taken in hand we respectfully and earnestly tinued attacks on Dilan, the public has grown a hostile reception. Caron was not permitted solicit the aid and support of the Press, foreign angry at their palpable malevolence. The to go to the city itself, which is several miles and native, and of officials, business men, and suspicion that Bir Charles was the victim of from the river, and after a stay of only one day Missionaries, who in their several positions come perjury to screen the real offender took popular at the post he was glad enough to get away

dry apparently isolated facts have come to light | The significance of this last successful journey which point to a ferrible conspiracy against him. is shown by the fact that only about half a dozen hatched by a group of women who personally Europeans, all told, have ever visited the city hated him and paid for by an enormously wealthy and those who got away unscathed, succeeded in women of title who had politic personal reasons maintaining their Moliammedan disguise, withfor desiring his down-fall... Slowly the truth is out which they would not have escaped with

LONDON, 20th KIDDON The New York Herald this morning prints : long letter from its Constantinople correspondthority that Bismarck, in 1885 and 1886, did his best to induce Salisbury to join with Austria in an officersive and defensive alliance against Russia, and sought to primote war between the The promoters of the project for building a three nowers, pledging Girman support; but he asked Germany if she would, in case of war, insure the British fleet entrance into the Black sen, and Bismarck made no reply. Then Salisbury saw the game. It is gravely hinted that feet, or about double that worked in at the Forth and Austria into war with Russia, and then by portance of Germany.

The Herald says editorially, under the headthe towers is 600 feet. It is estimated that the ling of "Is it Peace or War?" regarding the work can be completed in twelve years. The above letter:-"A special correspondent of no bed of the English channel along this route con- slight experience and knowledge of affairs supsists principally of white and blue obalk strata, | his us to-day with a highly important but by no means unsuitable for the foundation of littlerto secret chapter in the history of the bridge piers. The main spans are 1.640 feet by idulomacy of Prince Bismarck. That these 984 feet, the lesser ones being 830 feet by 328 | passages now have a momentous bearing upon feet, a clear headway of 180 feet at high water- the foreign policy of this country and unon the great question as to the maintenance of peace will be obvious to all who are acquainted with the actual condition of Europe at present. We learn from this most instructive communication that the German Chancellor had practically arranged for closing the tleman who for many years has been on intimate Dardanelles against the British fleet at the very time when, in 1836, he was endeavouring by every variety of subterranean method to lead this country into war with Russis. Had these maneuvres been successful England would have been pushed into the water at the very moment when she would have been powerless to attack her enemy effectively, for, as a correspondent says, the black sea is the only spot from which Great Britain can strike a damaging blow at Russia. All at once, then, we were to be depriyed of this power, and we should have been placed in a disadvantageous, even ludicrous, position in the face of Europe.'

PARISIAN DISCUSSION ON THE ANGLO

PARIS, 18th January. The Angle-Portuguese dispute continues to be the chief topic of discussion here. Last evening at a meeting in this city Zorilla spoke of the political uneasiness in both Portugal and Spain, and predicted that a union of these two nations will ultimately be brought about under single republican government. Henri Rochefort has written almost the first moderate article on the subject of African claims that has appeared anywhere in the Franch press. He deplaces that England has done only what any other country similarly situated would have lone. This is about the only word in extenuation of Lord Salisbury's behaviour that has yet been heard publicly from a Parislan. French financiers have declined to negotiate a loan for

BERLIN, 18th January. In all official quarters there is a general denial of Figure's story that Portugal has appealed to Bismarck against England's action as a violation of the treaty of Berlin. It is asserted that the Government is determined to preserve an attitude of strict neutrality with England Germany desires to go hand in hand with England in colonial affairs as far as possible-

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS. CITY OF MEXICO, 17th January, The editor of the newspaper El Progresso has been sent to jail for defaming Patti.

PARIS, 17th January. Stanley was interviewed by a representative of the Figure at Cairo. He refused to believe that the Soudau is lost to European civilization. The inhabitants are by no means opposed to the Khedive's rule, if only approached proposition He advocated the building of railways wherever possible, as the most thorough means of open-Paris, 21th January.

The great feature of the coming Balon will be the life-size portrait of Sarah Bernhardt as be painted is that in which she appears in prison with naked feet. BRUSSELS, 19th January.

The infantry has been confined to the barracks to-day in readiness for any emergency in connection with the labour troubles. A squadron of cavalry has gone to Charleroi, where the miners are arming themselves with axes and other implements and assuming a threatening Municit. 20th January

Pernie Lachner, the distinguished musician and composer, died to day at the age of 90. ROME 20th January Commendatore Baldacchina, a prominent lawsconded. His defalcations will amount to VIENNA, 20th January.

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A shroff is in exactly the same position commedation under his own flag. It is hardly were re-elected as suditors.

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HONDKONG, FEBRUARY 22ND, 1890. In the Supreme Court a few days ago a tried. The accused appears to have admitted making use of his employer's money for his

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Brown & Co., H. G., \$50 \$50 China Borneo \$50 \$40 China Sugar \$100 \$229	Transfer of Shares can be registered.
Chinese Loan '84 B \$500 3 p. ct. prem, nom Chinese Loan '84 C \$500 5 p. ct. prem, nom	By Order of the Court of Directors. G. E. NOBLE
Chinese Loan '86 E., Tls. 250 12 p.ct. prem., nom Cruickshank & Co \$50 \$42, nom. Dairy Farm Co \$10 \$13, nom.	Hongkong, 3 st January, 1890.
Darvel Bay Trading. \$8 par Fenwick & Co., Geo. \$25 \$80, nom.	GEO. FENWICK & Co.,-LIMITED.
Gordon & Co., A., G \$25 \$25, nom. Groen Island Cement \$50 \$40	NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. "THE FIRST ORDINARY GENERAL
H. & C. Bakery \$50 \$15 Hongkong & C. Gas. £10 \$128	will be held at the Hongkong Hotel
Hongkong Electric \$6 58 H. H. L. Tramways \$100 8229	at 8 P.M., for the purpose of receiving the
Hongkong Ice	of Accounts to 31st December, 1889, declaring
H. Steam Laundry \$50 nom. Hongkong Rope \$50 \$105, nom. H. & W. Dock \$125 60 p. ct. pm.	GEO. FENWICK,
Hotels— Austin Arms \$25 5 p. ct. dis., sellers	Hongkong, 22nd February, 1890. (390
Hongkong Hotel \$100 \$200 Do. Debentures \$500 \$501	THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.
Peak Hotel \$25 \$25 Insurances—	THE TWENTY-FIRST ORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in
China Fire	the Company will be held at the Company's Office, No. 5. Queen's Road, Victoria on MON.
Chinese Insurance. \$200 \$100, nom. Hongkong Fire \$50 \$400 North-China 250 Tls. 350	DAY, the 24th February next, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving a Statement
Singapore	of Accounts, and the Report of the Directors for the year ending 31st December, 1889. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company
Straits Marine \$20 \$234 Union \$25 \$103	will be CLOSED from the 11th to the 24th instant, both days inclusive.
Yangtaze \$100 Tls. 91 Land & Building— H. Land Investmet \$50 \$101	By Order, GEO. L. TOMLIN.
Kowloon Land Inv. \$30 \$16 Peak Building \$13 \$15	Hongkong, 1st February, 1890. 316
Richmond Terrace. \$100 \$200 Shanghai Land Tls. 30 Tls. 381	HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.
West Point Buildg. \$40 \$45 Luzon Sugar \$100 \$71 Marinburk Furniture \$6 \$6, nom.	NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.
Mining—Balmoral Gold \$10 \$12	THE TWENTY FIRST ORDINARY
Charbonnages \$131.58 \$435, sales Jelebu \$5 \$6 Punjom \$10 \$19, sellers	ANNUAL MEETING of SHARE- HOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Offices of the Company, Pedder's Street,
Perak Sugar Tis. 50 Tis. 31	on MONDAY, the 24th February instant, at 2.30 P.M. IN THE AFTERNOON, to receive a
East Borneo \$40 \$57	Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1890, the Report of the General Managers.
Labuk Planting \$20 \$20, nom. Lamag Planting \$25 \$30 Songei Koyah \$40 \$60	and to elect a consulting Committee and Andi-
8'hai & H. Wharf Tis. 100 Tis. 227; Shanghai Water #20 £36	The FRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 11th to the 24th day of February instant, both days inclusive.
China & Manila \$50 \$120 China Shippers' £13 £14.10s.	JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers,
Douglas S. S. Co \$50 \$66 H., Canton, & M \$20 \$37, buyers	Hongkong FireInsurance Co. Ld. Hongkong, 3rd February, 1890. [332]
Steam Launch \$30 nom.	HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.
Watson & Co., A. S \$10 \$22	NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS
Per Picul. Allow'ce.	TN consequence of the Meeting of the
Per Picul. Allow'ce. New Malwa	IN consequence of the Meeting of the Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company, Limited, taking place on the 24th inst.,
Old Malwa\$540 14 to 2	at 3 o'clock in the Afternoon, it has been found necessary for the convenience of Share-
Patna (New) \$4821 per clost. Benares (New)\$4821	holders to alter the hour of the Company's Meeting to 2.30 p.m. instead of 3 o'clock as previously advertised.
NOW READY.	JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers,
CHRONICLE AND DIRECTORY	Hengkong Fire Insurance Co., Ld. Hongkong, 21st February, 1890. 480
For 1890, With which is incorporated	HONGKONG & WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.
THE CHINA DIRECTORY, (TWENTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL ISSUE).	NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.
Complete, with Appendix, Plans, &c., &c., Royal Svo. p.p. 1,236 \$5.00	THE ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held in
SHALLER EDITION, Royal 8vo. p.p. 860\$3.00.	Central, on MONDAY, the 24th instant, at
Orders may be sent to Daily Press Office, where it is published, or to any of the following Agents Hongkons Messrs. F. Blackhead & Co.	3.30 P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Re-
HongkongMr. W. Brower. HongkongThe Hongkong Trading Co.	counts to 31st December, 1889. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 10th to the 24th
HongkongMessrs. Kelly & Walsh. HongkongMessrs. Lanc. Crawford & Co.	instant, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors,
Hongkond Messrs. A. S. Watson & Co. Macao Mr. F. A. da Cruz.	D. GILLIES, Secretary
ANOYMr. J. G. Götz. FORMOSAMr. J. G. Götz. FOOCHUWMessrs. Hedge & Co.	Hongkong, 3rd February, 1890. [33]
SHANGHAI Hall & Holtz Co-operative Co- SHANGHAI Messrs. Kelly & Walsh.	NOTICE.
NORTHEBU& Hall & Holtz Co-operative Co. River Ports and Kelly & Welsh, Shanghai	A N EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL
NAGABARI Messrs. R. H. Powers & Co. Kobe-Osaka Proprietors "Hyogo News."	MEETING of the MEMBERS of the CLUB will be held in the Club House, on
YCKOHAMAMessrs. Kelly & Walsh, MANILAMessrs. Disz Puertas & Co. TonkinMr. H. Degenfeld.	MUNDAY, the 24th inst, at 4.30 p.m., for the purpose set forth in the notice posted in the Hall of the Club.
SARGON Mr. Aug. Book. BANGKOK Messrs. Ramsay & Co.	By Order, C. H. GRACE,
Sing APORK Messrs. Kelly & Walsh. PENANG Messrs. Maynard & Co.	Hongkong, 17th February, 1890. (443)
CALCUTTA Mesars. A. M. & J. Ferguson. CALCUTTA Mesars. Newman & Co.	HONGKONG & WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.
SYDNEY Messrs. Gordon & Gotch. MELBOURNE Messrs. Norton, Hargraye & Co. BRISBANE Messrs. Gordon & Gotch.	NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.
LONDONMr. F. Algar, Clement's Lane. LONDONMessrs. John Haddon & Co.,	NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-
LONDON Messrs. Street & Co., 30 Cornhill	14, Praya, Victoria, Hongkong, on FRIDAY
LONDONMessrs. Bates, Hendy & Co. LONDONMr. W. M. Wills, 1-1 Cannon St.	when the following Resolutions will be sub-
PARISMr.L.H.Richy,66, Rue Lafayette. BERLING. Hildebrandt, 111, Alexandrinen Street.	I.—That the Company do borrow from the
SAN FRANCO. Mr. L. P. Fisher, 21, Merchants Exphance.	Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Company, Limited, the sum of Five Hundred Thousand Dollars bearing interest
NEW YORK Mr. A. Wind, 21, Park Row. — 132 by Press Office, January, 1890.	Annum, for such a period on such terms and
HUNGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION. THE KWOON KWAN YEEN	manner as the Company's Directors shall
CHALLENGE CUPS, value \$200 and \$100 respectively. Also two Consolation Cups value \$100 each.	think fit, and that for that purpose the said Directors do cause all necessary deeds or documents to be duly executed.

The 2nd Stage of the Sixth Competition

will take place next SATURDAY. (Lo DO-1

instant, at 2.15 p.m. commencing at 900 yards.

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Honorary Secretary.

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A. SANDFORD.

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FICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING | Accounts to 31st December, 1889. for the purpose of receiving the Re. Shares can be registered. the Directors and Statement of Ac-31st December, 1889. RANSFER BOOKS of the Company

CICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. Victoria, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, day of March, 1890.

kong Land Investment and Agency Annum will be chargeable on all Calls unpaid on pany. Limited, the sum of Five due date. ired Thousand Dollars bearing interest | · By Order of the Board of Directors. ne rate of Seven dollars per cent. per am, for such a period on such terms and itions and to be secured in such a ier as the Company's Directors shall think fit, and that for that purpose the

or documents to be duly executed. .-That at the end of Article No. 11 of the . Company's existing Articles of Association, there be added the following cords, with the collowing marginal note, that is to say, No Spareholder, whether an in-

thousand Shares. .-That Article No. 49 of the Company's Hongkong, 8th February, 1890. MAN LOONG, of CANTON, bas always on hand for Sale BEST PRESERVED existing Articles of Association with its marginal note be cancelled, and that in lieu C C thereof the following Article and marginal The undersigned is also entrusted with the note be inserted that is to say, Number of [49] Every Shareholder (if duly which share-

registered for one month previous to the Meeting at which he claims to vote but not otherwise) shall have one vote for each share up to ten and one vote for every complete additional number of ten shares. 4.—That immediately after the Company's next Ordingry Half-yearly Meeting, Article No. 63 of the Company's existing Articles of Association be cancelled, and that in lieu of Director unless he be the holder of at least fifty shares." By Order of the Board of Directors.

Hongkong, 18th February, 1890.

D. GILLIES.

Beoretary.

THE STEAM LAUNCH COMPANY. LIMITED.

A. L. I. D'S. P. O.R. T THE SECOND ORDINARY MEETING of the Company will be held at the Hong No. 9, SEYMOUR TERRACE. Cortificated by PROFESSOR kong Hotel on TUESDAY, the 25th Febru-Each bottle bears his Certificate ary, 1890, at 4 P.M. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 11th to 25th Feb. 1890, both days inclusive. By Order,

A. G. GORDON & Co., Lid. Managers. Hongkong, 11th February, 1890. GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY,

DAY (SATURDAY), the 22nd day of ARY ANNUAL MEETING of ary, at 12 O'CLOCK NOON, for the pur-SHAREHOLDERS will take place at the receiving the Report of the Court of Hongkond Hotel on FRIDAY, the 28th of ore together with a Statement of Ac- February, 1890, at 4 o'clock, to receive the Report and Statement of the Accounts of the Company to the Slat of December, 1889.
The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 14th to the 28th day of February, both days inclusive.

J. FOREMAN, Secretary. Hongkong, 14th February, 1890. HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. THE ORDINARY MALF YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Company's Hotel, on MONDAY, the 3rd March, at Half-Past THREE O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of the Accounts of the Company to 31st December, 1839, with the Report of the Directors, and to discuss any matters, that may competently be brought before the Meeting.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLUSED from the 18th inst. to the DAY (SATURDAY), the 22nd instant, 3rd prox., both days inclusive. By Order of the Board. R. LYALL, Secretary.

Hongkong, 11th February, 1889. CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY. LIMITED.

NOTICE. THE TWELFTH ORDINARY AN-NUAL MEETING of SHARE-EETING of SHAREHOLDERS in HOLDERS in the above Company will be held pany will be held at the Company's at the Office of the General Agents, Pedder o. 5. Queen's Road, Victoria, on MON. Street, on THURSDAY, the 6th Mar h. at | FIGHE HOUSE No. 10. ARBUTHNOT ROAD, he 24th February next, at 12 O'CLOCK 11.30 A.M., for the purpose of receiving a Reor the purpose of receiving a Statement | port from the General Agents, with a Stateints, and the Report of the Directors | ment of Accounts to the 31st December, 1889. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company RANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 21st February to CLOSED from the 11th to the 24th | the 6th March, both days inclusive. JARDINE. MATHESON & Co.,

General Agents. Hongkong, 15th February, 1890. LUZON SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE.

THE EIGHTH, ORDINARY ANNUAL 4. MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Office of TWENTY-FIRST ORDINARY the General Agents, Pedder Street, on NNUAL MEETING of SHARE- THURSDAY, the 6th March, at NOON, for 3RS in the above Company will be held the purpose of receiving a Report from the ffices of the Company, Pedder's Street, General Agents with a Statement of Accounts DAY, the 24th February instant, at | to the 31st December, 1889. IN THE AFTERNOON, to receive a The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company at of Accounts to 31st December, will be CLOSED from 21st February to the Report of the General Managers, 6th March, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, 15th February, 1890. CHINA BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED THE FIRST ORDINARY YEARLY . MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be hold at the Hongkong Hotel, on THURSDAY, the 6th March, at 12.30 P.M., for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors and Statement of Aucounts to 80th June, 1889. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 24th instant to the

6th March, both days inclusive. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., · Agents in Hongkong & China. Hongkong, 20th February, 1890. sessary for the convenience of Share- THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN COMPANY. LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

Hengkong Fire Insurance Co., Ld. | THE THIRD ORDINARY ANNUA MEETING of the SHAREHOLDER! in the above Company will be held in the CHAM-BEE OF COMMERCE ROOM at the City Hall, at Twelve o'Clock (Noon), on FRIDAY, the 7th March next, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, with a Statement of SHAREHOLDERS will be held in TheTRANSFER BOOKS will be CLOSED ses of the Company No. 14, Praya from 24th February to 7th March, both days on MONDAY, the 24th instant, at inclusive, during which period no Transfer of

EDWARD OSBORNE. Hongkong, 18th February, 1890. THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE SEVENTH ORDINARY GENER-AL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Office of the Company, Praya Central, on SATURDAY, the Sth March, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, declaring a Dividend, and electing Consulting Committee and Auditors. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 21st instant to 8th

proximo, both days inclusive. RUSSELL & Co.,___ General Managers. Hongkong, 19th February, 1890. THE EAST BORNEO PLANTING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE OF CALL.

FIRE Directors having decided to make the FINAL CALL on the Shares in the CE is hereby given that an EXTRA- shove Company, Notice is hereby given that the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10) per Share will be

BDINARY MEETING of the Company's Office, No. BANKING CORPORATION on or before the 5th February, 1890, at 12 o'clock Noon. This Final Call will make the Shares fully following Resolutions will be sub- paid up, and all Scrip in the hands of unregistered Holders should be sent in for registration. the Company do borrow from the Interest at the rate of Twelve per cent. per

CHAS. F. HARTON. Acting Secretary. Hongkong, 4th February, 1890.

said Directors do cause all necessary deeds RUST AND LOAN COMPANY OF CHINA, JAPAN, AND STRAITS. LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS: The SECOND CALL of Ter Shillings per No Shareholder, whether to Cordividual, Firm, Company, or Cordividual, Firm, Cordividual, Fir Shareholders will please pay respective

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THE JAPAN SUPPLY thereof the following be inserted:

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NOTICE: A TO LET & FOR SALE. TO LET.

LOOMS IN COLLEGE CHAMBERS. DAVID SASSOON. SONS & Co. Hongkong, 25th November, 1889.

TO BE SOLD OR LET. HACIENDA-AT THE PEAK, 33 for the Moeting. R. B. L. No. 21. sufficient Land for 3 or 4 Tennis Courts.

If required it is easily convertible, into Two the Gatekeeper. separate Dwellings. For full Particulars, apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-MENT & AGENCY Co., LD. Victoria Buildings. Hongkong 18th December, 1889.

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TYHE FALLS," on R. B. L. No. 28, a wall built SIX-ROOMED House, at present Let on Lease for one year. For full Particulars, apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-MENT & AGENCY Co., LD.

TO LET. HOUSES No. 1 & 2 "KIMBERLEY VILLAS" at Kowloon, from let February, 1890,

Hongkong, 13th November, 1889.

HOUSE No. 4 "VICTORIA VIEW" at Kowloon Point, from 1st February, 1690. Apply to A. F. ALVES. Hongkong, 23rd January, 1890. GLENTHORNE, KOWLOON.

TO LET-A Handsome EUROPEAN SIX ROOMED RESIDENCE built on the Eastern Slope of the Observatory Hill, everlooking the Harbour and Ly-ee-moon. BATH and 402 DRESSING ROOM to each BEDROOM, with all the ciation, and open to Gentlemen Amateurs who to rent. appointments of a First-class Dwelling. Grass l'ennis Court and Fof an Acre of Ground. Apply to. Mr. ST. JOHN/HANCOCK,

Architect. Hougkong, 28th January, 1990. TO LET. WITH IMMEDIATE POSSESSION. the Residence of the late Hon, Dr. STEWART.

J. A. DE CARVALHO. Hougkong, 11th December, 1889. TO BE LET. 🖂 🖟 [435 | Tresirable offices & godowns No. 13. Prava -Central.

Apply to STOLTERFORT & HIRST. Hongkong, 8th October, 1889. TO BE LET. GODOWN at WEST POINT.

ROOMS on SECOND FLOOR of (Marine) No. 9-3.00 P.M.-Bicycle Race, Half-wile 'elegraph House. "THE HOMESTEAD," Mt. Kellett. "BISNEE VII.LA," PORFOLUM. BREEZY POINT, BONHAM ROAD, with No. 11-3.30 P.M. - Douglas Challenge Cup, Pennis Lawn, A WELL FURNISHED HOUSE from Ist of May. Apply to SHARP & Co.

Telegraph House. Hongkong, 4th February, 1890. From the 15th February or 1st March, 1890. FINE TOP FLOOR of CAINE ROAD No. 23. consisting of TWO SPACIOUS. ROOMS and BATH ROOM. Water & Gas Apply to

F. NAUDIN & Co. Hongkong, 7th February, 1890. TO LET. From 1st January, 1890. FOUSE No. 3, CASTLE ROAD. Apply to SPANISH-PROCURATION. Hengkong, 17th December, 1889.

TO LET THE TOP FLOOR of GIBL. LIVINGSTON & Co.'s Houg consisting of FIVE SPACIOUS ROOMS and THREE BATH ROOMS suitable either as Offices or Dwelling 14 and 16 must be won twice in succession to For Terms, apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST MENT & AGENCY Co., LD.

Hongkong, 15th January, 1890. 66 ARAIGELLACHIE." LOAD, Apply to LINSTEAD & DAVIS.

Hongkong, 5th October, 1889. TO BE LET-Rent \$50 per month. 5 ROOMED FURNISHED HOUSE at MOUNT KELLETT. No. 6, DES VOEUX VILLAS, until 31st May. Apply to W. HEWETT'& Co. | 193 |

Hongkong, 14th January, 1890. TO LET. FROM 1ST FEBRUARY NEXT. **NYOS. 53, 55, & 57, PEGL STREET.**

EDWARD GEORGE. Hongkong, 10th January, 1890. OFFICE OR BEDROOM TO LET. A N AIRY & COMMODIOUS ROOM suitable as an OFFICE or BEDROOM in a Central position close to the CLOCK TOWER. Rent, Dollars 25 per month. . A. B. C.,

Office of this Paper. Hongkong, 1st October, 1889. TO LET AT THE PEAK. 66 TUNNOTTAR" B. B. Lot No. 20; for One year from 15th April, 1890.

Office of this Paper. Hongkong, 11th February, 1890. TO LET,

Possession 1st April, 1890. TATESTBOURNE VILLAS, NORTH. LINSTEAD & DAVIS. Hongkong, 11th February, 1890. HONGKONG ICE C OMPANY, LIMITED

TO LET. THAT suite of OFFICES on the FIRST FLOOR of the Company's premises in ICE HOUSE LANE, at present occupied by Messrs. Holliday, Wise & Co., with Entrance For the Local Committee. from Queen's Road. Possession from 1st March.

> TWO GODOWNS on the Ground Floor which can be let in connection with the above Offices or senarately as desired. With Immediate Possession

ONE ROOM on the First Floor of the same premises suitable for an OFFICE with entrance from the South Side of the Building. For Full Particulars apply to the Manager at the Depot -or to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 28th January, 1890.

MSE No. 2. "SMITH'S VILLAS." QUEE, with Basement and Out Apply to MEACKHEAD & Co. Hongkong, Brd July

INTIMATIONS.

HONGKONG JOCKEY OLUB. RACE MEETING, 1890. WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, AFRIDAY the 26th, 27th, and 28th February.

ULE 15 Admission to the Grand Stand and Enclosure. For Members of the Jockey Club, Free; for Non-Members, \$5 for that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Kelung the Meeting. For Admission to Grand Stand, Stand and Enclosure to be had on application to Company, Limited, Kowloon, whence delivery A large and Commodious Residence, with H. A. Herbert, Esq., Honorary Treasurer. No may be obtained. one admitted without a Ticket, to be shewn to E. H. GORE BOOTH,

Clerk of the Course. Hongkong, 19th February, 1890; HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

THE STEWARDS request the pleasure of the presence of the Ladies at the Grand Stand and Enclosure during the Races on the 26th, 27th, and 23th instant. E. H. GORE BOOTH. Clerk of the Course. Hongkong, 19th February, 1890. [465]

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB. NTO SERVANTS will be allowed inside the Enclosure of the Raccourse during the Race days without Tickets, which can be had on application from the undersigned. E. H. GORE BOOTH.

Clerk of the Course. Hongkong, 20th February, 1890. CTONGRONG: AMATEUR ATHLETIC

SATURDAY, THE STH. MARCH, 1890. To take place on the BACE COURSE, WONG NEI CHONG,

(By kind permission of the STEWARDS of the JOCKEY CLUBA Commencing punctually at 2 p.m. To be held under the Laws of the A. A. Assoare Members or Visitors either of the Hong-kong Club, Club Germania, Hongkong Cricket. Club. Club Lusitano, or Victoria Recreation Club, and to Commissioned Officers of H.M. Army and Navy.

PROGRAMME. No. 1-2.00 P.M.-120 vards Flat Race Handicap, First prize presented by D. R. Sassoon, Esq. No. 2-2.05 P.M.-Putting the Shot. (16 lbs.) Open. Prize by Sports Committee. No. 3-2.05 P.M.-Exercises on German Horse, Prize by Sports Committee. No. 4-2.20 P.M.-Long Jump.

No. 5-2.35 P.M.-220 yards Flat Race Handicap. First prize by John D. Humphreys, No. 6-2.40 P.M.-Ladies' Purse, Half Mile Flat Raco Handicap, Prizes-by-the-Ladies of Hongkong. No. 7-2.50 P.M.—Open Half-mile for Soldiers, Sailors, Police, Post Entries. First prize \$20, 2nd prize \$10, 3rd prize \$5, presented by J. J. Francis, Esq., Q.C. 8-2.55 P.M.—Hurdle Race, 120 yards, 10 Flights, First prize by Hon. A. P.

McEwen. Handicap. No. 10-3.15 P.M .- Throwing the Cricket Ball, Prize by Cricket Club. Quarter Mile Flat Race, Presented by John S. Lapraik, Esq. No. 12-3.35 P.M.-High Jump, Prize by R. K. Leigh, Esq. No. 13-3.50 P.M .- Veterans' Race, 120 yards Handleap, First prize by Hon, C. P.

Chater. sented by ${f E}_{f c}$ ${f R}_{f c}$ Belilics. Esq. No. 15-4.05 P.M.-Highland Fling. to Soldiers and Police (Competitors to be in full Highland Costume). First prize, \$25 by D. Gillies, Esq.: 2nd No. 16-4.40 P.M.—100 Yards Challengo Cup, be obtained. Presented by H. N. Mody, Esq. No. 17-4.45 P.M.—Bicycle Race, Mile Haudicap. First prize by G. E. Noble. Esq.

No. 18-5.00 P.M,-Steepleohase, Half Mile (9) No. 19-5.10 P.M. - Consolution Race, 120 yards, No. 20-5.15 r.m.-International Tug of War (8 men a side, Prizes by Club Ger-

No. 21-5.30 P.M.—Distribution of Prizes. Post Entries allowed only for Events No. 7 and 19. Challenge Cops for Events Nos. 11 become the property of a Competitor. Second prizes will not be given for any Event unless 4 or more Competitors start. Kelly & Walsh, Limited, The Victoria Recreation Club, or the Undersigned) to the Hon. Se-

Competitors are requested to send in their entries (on Entry Forms, which can be obtained from Mesers. Lane, Crawford & Co., Mesers February, on which day the entries close. There will be no charge for admission to the Sports, but special invitations for the Gra. Stand and Enclosure will be issued by the Com-W. H. YOUNG,

Hon. Secretary. Hongkong 3rd February, 1890. FOR SALE, TULES MUMM

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CHAU. LEOVILLE, at \$23 per Case of 1 doz. [160 CHAU. MARGAUX, at \$28] BAXTER'S "BARLEY BREE! (Celebrated 7 years' Old WHISKY, at \$8.25 per Case of 1 doz. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

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"I wish to speak to you," save he. Eh?" says Nan, with a mean desire to gain time: "Oh, yes; yes, cortainly. To speak to me P Of course, dear Boyle, well P" with the as if seeing no earthly reason why he should not! unburden himself here, on the instant.

been used as a defence...

"I shall be delighted," says she, telling her splendid." lie with an effort at jubilation, that by no means deceives her companion. "Was there ever so west an evening for a walk?"

" Never," retorts he grimly. They are at the hall door by this time; no one sail with him to morrow." else seems to be near them. By some unfortunate chance whilst she was talking to Ffrench. the others had entangled them elves in an im/ possible argument that it might take months to Julia to a picuic at the Galley Head; so is arrange. Nan, after a last despairing glance Gladys: so are the boys." backwards, submits to black fate, and goes with "Well, I'm not. Julia is too trying for me. lies like a white flood upon the gravel outside. Lasked the Leslies to go for a sail to-morrow, and pour out into the exquisite night beyond, and board together," standing on the gravel look round, and back- "When did you make this arrangement?" wards as if for Nan.

"She has gone on," says William, who has reher go down that walk with Ffrench." "Oh!" says Penclope under her breath. Not so low, however, but that Croker can hear

it, and the dismay in it. but some whispers carry far. Hume hears this . "You won't get one," says I'fronch with de Yet oft-times the softest lips have lied! His will see me on Crosohna Hill the day after." face pales a little as he tells himself that, lie or "Your hand on that," says he, smiling. H besides. Into his usually quiet face there comes. Hume turning a corner, comes up to them. at this moment an expression of such dogged determination as could be only betrayed by an Englishman, and that one with every fibre of his hody set on one resolve, and one only. He turns away abruptly, and leaving the others-who have chosen the more general avenue—goes down that path of which William had spoken.

Meantime Penelope has been answering Bartle. she shortly. Croker, who is beside her, takes hand without betraying some confusion. Nan note involuntarily of the little frown that accom- colours furiously, a fact, however, hardly noticepanies this speech.

us, that he is idiotically in love with her." "I know nothing of the kind. You shouldn't brows grow together. only on being loyal to Nan, but with such a search of us? Surely they cannot be at the Gout and Rheumstic pains, for it removes the cause vehemence in her lovalty that Croker turns sud. onto vehemence in her lovalty that Croker turns sud. onto vehemence in her lovalty that Croker turns sud. denly to look at her.

For the moment a suspicion, hateful to him, smile on Hume, who ignores it. And yet: little things, trifling words, half glan- sternly, using the very words Ffrench had used, ces; some time forgotten, but now remembered, and speaking as deliberately as though Ffrench flood bis memory. For a torturing minute or | was nothing more than one of the trees around so he gives room to the vile demons, and then casts them behind him-not slain, however. By this time, Nan and Ffrench have found their way through the branching trees to that

point where they must needs turn to gain the main avenue. This is Ffrench's last chance and predecessor. he knows it. Hitherto, surcharged as he has been by judigment thought, he has abstained from reproaching her; but now that minutes have reduced themselves to moments, he gives way to the overpowering pussion that has been for so long his master.

lities up to this—a style of conversation generously encouraged by Nan-but now, turning to suming him, but blended with this rage is an Y IERIG COMPANY'S EXTRACT OF MEAT her, Ffrench stops dead short upon the leafy unmistakable sense of triumph that betrays "This sort of thing can't go on for ever," says | Nan indignant.

sudden cowardly determination to misunderstand coming. Mr. Hume wishes to speak to me. him, with a view to gaining time, she laughs. There is no reason why I should not hear him." "An incontestable fact!" says she, with a great Then, seeing Ffrench hesitate, she turns abassumption of galety. "Do you really want to ruptly to him." "Go!" she says, so imperiously walk this path for ever? It's a rather shabby that nothing is left him save obedience. little affair, isn't it?" with a glance at the "Now," says she, lifting her eyes to Hume's irregular, weedgrown little way in question. when her consin is out of sight. "What is it "I'm afraid, even if your idea were a practicable you have to say ?" one, that presently the delights of it would pall It is plain her patience is at an end. She had

"There is nothing to be gained by subterfuge," several reasons, but now she gives full scope to interrupts Ffrench, his black gloomy eyes upon her resentment. She has thrown up her head the ground. "Do you think I was blind to- so that Hume can see how white her face has night? Do you? I wish," passionately, "I had grown, and that the large grey eyes are flashing. been before I saw you standing with your hand "Yery little," says Hume, briefly, perfectly

Delaney, why, not even she herself could have ex-plained. If with a view to soothing him, it was to your word that you are not engaged to be

Heaven! have you no conscience? You have Not Ffrench or any other man, but only me." encouraged me, drawn me on; wilfully, openly, and now you would encourage him?"

"Well," said he, with a rather saturnine smile, a scornful glauce as she says this. "I think there is no danger of your being misunderstood by him again. If I saw, he saw too." sayone else." "I'm sure I'm glad to hear it," declares Nan with a little indignant tilt of her chin. "Ityour visual organs are in good working order."

or two. Thengrief in his tones that she grows miserable, and feetly hate you therefore angry.

"Oh, what is there to care about ?" cries she. do like to amuse myself a little, what great harm

lieve you care for a single soul on earth except life, oh no!, 1--" upon, instead of here betraying a righteons anger for him," he says slowly. at this unwarrantable speech, gives way to mirth. "You believe grong then, my sapient Boyle," cries she, plucking a tiny bit of thistledown from her sleeve and blowing it lightly, with pretty evident malice, that he loses his temper. pouting lips, into the air. "I care for many a one in this dull old world, besides the charming about you," says he vehomently. As he speaks rest when troubled by the throat. Sold by all

This is going a little too far. Ffrench's dark abrupt movement releases herself from him. eyes grow brilliant with a touch of suppressed "Oh, you are cruel!" orles she, and presses fury, and with a savage movement he flings ber hand upon that portion of her arm where his aside the small, slender hand that is resting so fingers had closed. Then slowly she draws up

"Don't speak to me like that!" says he, discolours the whiteness of her snowy flesh. "Well? and why not, you rough boy? sight. All his anger dies; he remembers no-How rude of you to give me the -- you thing but that he has hart her - her. Her poor know what, in that way," she says, provokingly, pretty arm. Remorse gnaws upon him as he

Boyle," with an entire change of manner, from upon the crimson mark the tender mocking to the downright common-

"I have got to endure worse things than Julia," says he coldly. cossity. You needn't. Why on earth martyr for her. yourself? You can go away, or keep away." "One moment," says. Hums. "To-morrow." says pretty Nan. shrugging disdainful shoulders | anxiously. "What about it-you-you will still NUBIAN MANUFACTURING Co., LTD.

terfere. Why on earth don't you give me the pleasure to be obtained from anything, if one is out direct." demands she, persistently. "You know;" says he, so wearly that it should You know I would rather dis than ill-treat have softened her. And, in fact, it does. After you, says Hume in the a struggle, short but sharp; between her better self and the demon of mischief that is always at pulling up her sleeve once more, and looking at her elbow, the good angel conquers, and Miss her arm. Perceiving that already the useful Delaney with a sigh prepares to lay down her mark is rapidly disappearing, she covers it up

sion with all the air of one who, though faultless. for a sail to morrow." feels it will be gracious to give in to the false prejudices of those around. "If I have offended Delaney, who wouldn't have given up the sail you, or annoyed you Royle, I'm sorry. I am for a good deal, yachting being her very chief-indeed. Is that enough ?" "And after all you didn't mean it, Nan, did you? haste.

You just gave him your hand because ---"Yes, yes; just so," hastily. "Just for fun, on my knees to you will you forgive me?" airiest air in the world, and the most innocent, don't you know. Nothing else-nothing at all. And don't let us talk any more about it. It isn't says Miss Delaney, contemptuously. "A man "Not here," says he "Outside. Walk with "No, he isn't," says Ffrench, re-arranging propose to do it here, in this muddy spot? me to the gate," his tone is almost a command, her words for her with a buoyancy that some Well," brightening somewhat, as though the

> "To-morrow—I can't." " Why not ?

"I-. Now don't get into a rage again. Boyle, but I've premised Mr. Hume to go for a "Alone ?".

"Of course not. How abourd you are." "With whom, then? Penelope is going wit Captain Ffrench into the vivid moonlight that A little of her goes a long way. Mr. Hume has struggle, gives in to it.

"Quite a week ago." "I don't think you will carry it out then unoined them with a face resuscitated. "I saw less Hume is a bigger duffer than even I think him. There will be nasty sea weather to-morrow." "Time will tell that. For my part I believe we shall have a glorious day," says Nan, glancing upwards at the sky, which looks good natured "Yes. Isn't she catching it." says Bartle. enough to an inexperienced eye. "I hope so, at agreeable to Jack Leslie, I won't be called to He fondly believes he is whispering to Penelope, all events, as I dearly love a sail."

one at least, and a sharp contraction at his heart cision. " "Well, if not to morrow, will you meet compels him to know that he is pained by the me on (rachna Hill the day after?" Then hearing. Why should she "catch it" from seeing her hesitate-- "Oh, Nan, don't refuse me." Ffrench-what right has he over her P By her "I won't. I didn't mean to," says she, eagerly. own lips he judges her, and those soft if cruel "I'll be there certainly. Yes, yes, indeed. You members have assured him that Ffrench is an may depend upon me. If," with a little laugh "nnconsidered trifle" so far as she is concerned. "Mr. Hume doesn't drown me to-morrow, you no lie, he will hold her to what she has said, and | holds out his, and Nan lays her shapely fingers gain her in spite of horself and all the world on his palm. It is at this moment that Mr.

> CHAPTER XXII. "It's her sport and pleasure to flout mo! To spure, and score, and scout me. But, ah! I've a notion it's nought but play."

It is impossible for the most innocent people "Catching it? From Boyle? Why?" says in the world to be discovered suddenly hand in able beneath the mild rays of the moon, but her "Stuff! As if you didn't know," says Bartle. start backwards, the mildest mannered moon that " As if it isn't as plain to you, as to the rest of ever decked the Heavens could not conceal. As for Ffrench, the smile dies upon his lips, and his

speak like that. Bartle," says Penelope, bent | "Are we late? Have the others sent you in vehemence in her loyalty that Croker turns sud- gate, yet ?" says Nan, asking these questions at racing speed, and turning a nervous conciliatory crosses his mind, but he puts it from him. That ... Nobody sent me. I came of my own accord solicit enferers to give it a trial to test its value. she should love Ffrench! Ob, no! Impossible! to find you. I want to speak to you!" says he

> outwardly the very picture of guileless curiosity. "Well, here I am," says she, with another even lovelier smile, that made the fate of its

"To me ?" says Nan, inwardly quailing, but

B desire to take her with him. "But where ?" asks she, drawing back, "Anywhere you like. Except here "shortly. or so long his master.

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"Hood Mixture," blown in the Bottle, WITHOUT ters," says Ffrench, at this juncture. It is with WHICH NONE ARE GENUINE. itself in his voice, and in her present mood makes

"There is no great hurry," says she, coldly. "Eh?" returns Nan, startled. Then, with a "Go on, you, to the gate, and tell them I am

subdued herself whilst Ffrench was present for undisturbed by her tone. "Just a word or two My hand was in yours, too," says Miss but a word I mean. My eyes have been opened married. And I swear to you," quite calmly "Yes, that was the most cursed part of it." still, but with a little ring in his voice, "that

says he, with a sudden blaze of wrath. "Great | whilst I live you shall marry no man but me! "Is that all?" says she with an angry little laugh. "You are quite welcome to swear as "I don't want to encourage anybody," says much and as long as you like, so that I do not Trade Mark—A "White Rose" on a "Golden Lyre," an petulantly, the colour coming and going on hear you. I dislike that cort of thing! But as with Address in full. Nan, petulantly, the colour coming and going on hear you. I dislike that sort of thing! But as her rounded cheek. "I wish you would all go to marrying me, that is another affair altogether. away. I am quire tired of everybody and of How are you going to do it? The days are past being soulded and misunderstood." when one could capture a wife." She flings him "I shall at all events prevent your marrying

"And how?" demands she again contemptously. "The days of the poisoned howl and gives me immense happiness to hear that both the midnight assassin are gone too, with the coach and four and the masked hero. And as After this sally there is silonce for a moment for me, I tell you, I am afraid of no one, of nothing. And as far as I can judge at this "You don't care," says he, with so much deep | moment, it is my thorough belief that I per-

Something in her words sobers him to sadness. "Why will you talk to me like this? Nan." You would make a mountain out of every mole. (says he, in a low tone. "Would you altogether hill. I really think you are one of the most break an honest heart f and that is mine for you. tiresome people I ever met in my life. If—if I Is it nothing to you, the pain I am enduring?" "Oh! now you just repeat him-Boyle," cries she. "I wish you would all let me alone. I "Harm? To find amusement in the pain of don't want to marry any one. I don't indeed," others? Don't you see how intolerably selfish it almost piteously. "I only want to be left in is of you," says the young man darkly. "You peace. As to marrying, I should hate to be mar-don't mind what torture you inflict. I don't be- ried. To be chained down as it were for all one's

"That is enough," says be, interrupting her Miss Delaney, whose transitions of mood are hastily. A rather lengthened pause ensues, and | Coughe, Astrina, Bronchitis, Directury "I told you something more than that, I think. That I do not care for you either."

She says this so provokingly, with such person you have named. Why, a secret for he seizes her arm, and compele her so to turn Chemists, in Small Tinsyou."-leaning towards him and laying her hand | that he can look into her eyes. His grasp under upon his arm in a coaxing confidential fashion— the influence of passion is perhaps more painful

"I care for you!"

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her sleeve and shows where a deep red mark "Did I do that?" says Hume, shocked at the

"Why should you not believe me? Are we not sees the injury he has inflicted on that lovely Gives an instantaneous, brilliant, and elastic consins? are we not indeed brothers in affliction member. With a sudden unconquerable impulse my Julia, being your Julia too. By the bye, he seizes her hand and presses a passionate kiss polish, which lasts a week, wet or dry weather.

place, "How do you manage to endure her as away. "I would far rather have the bruise than the careas.' She turns from him with determination, and walks swiftly in the direction that will take her "Me you mean! Well, but there is no no. to where the others are already weary of waiting all kinds of Boots, Shoes, and Leather Articles.

come out sailing ?" "Ch. I don't know," says Nan, coldiy. "1 "It is quite in your own power. I shan't in. really don't see how I can. There is very little

to endure radences, and ill-treatment with it." "Well. I don't know what you call this."

"Perhaps after all I'm sometimes wrong," Try to forgive me that," pleads he, "and says she, making this singularly humble conces- say you will keep to your promise to come out "I don't think I can, indeed," persists Miss "More than enough," cries he vehemently, firmness, and walks on again with increasing "Nan," says Hume desperately, "if I go down

"I can't imagine what good that could do." on his knees must be a sorry spectacle. Do you but Nan after a wild grance round her, sees no how depresses her. "Nan," says he, "will you "Sorry spectacle" has suddenly presented itself means of evading it If, indeed, she had not meet me on Croschna Hill to morrow at four in pleasant colours to her, "Try it. One can hopelessly offended Hume alse, he might have o'clock; there is every sign of a coming storm, never tell beforehand how one may be influenced and a view of the waves from there should be by anything strange or out if the common." Here goes, then," says 'ume, preparing to THE Steamship

> "Oh. Nan, there is no one so strong an you. I pray you, then, show mercy," says Hume, laughing in spite of himself. "Let it, I implore you, be an inch or two to one side." Laughter is infectious, and so dear at all times to the heart of a Delaney that Nan, after a brief

There, I'll let you off." says she, with some Presently the others, giving up the argument. I'm to meet them at Glandore. We all go on scorn. "Fancy being afraid of a little pool like that. Ah, there are the others, and everyone THE Company's Steamer_ looking daggers. Well. I shall tell them, and truly, that it was all your fault. "And will come to-morrow?" questions he.

> Yes. But mind. I will have no scoldings, and | DAYLIGHT. no cross looks: The Leslies will surely be there?" They have promised faithfully. Very good. If I choose to make myself "Why of course not," says Hume. "Who on earth would presume to call you to account for

anything f

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FOR SWATOW.

kneel on the grass that runs beside the path. "Not there," says she, maliciously. "I bar gained for this identical spot," pointing to where the late rain has made a little ugly pool upon the pathway.

"PAKSHAN,"

Captain E. F. Stovell, will be despatched for the above Port TO-MORROW, the 23rd inst., at DATLIGHT. For Freight or Passage, apply to HOP HING HONG,

> Hongkong, 20th February, 1890. FOR SWATOW AND BANGKOK. THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM-SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

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'I should advise you to spend all your time between this and to-morrow trying to find that out." "MEMNON." says Miss Delaney, giving him a little sapient nod. | Captain Dorff, will be despatched as above a NOON, on MONDAY, the 24th instant. In future this or other steamers will ply between British North Borneo and Hongkong only, leaving Hongkong about every eighteen days. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

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"CYCLOPS." Captain Nich, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 27th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 20th February, 1890.

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'ANCONA." Captain W. D. Mudie, will leave for the above places on FRIDAY, the 28th instant, at DAYLIGHT. E.L. WOODIN, Superintendent. Hengkong, 17th February, 1890.

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Office, Hongkong.

Hongkong, 15th February, 1890.

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No. 50A, Queen's Road Central. C. D. HARMAN, Agent. Hanckong, Sist January, 1890 COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

NOTICE. STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, CO-LOMBO, ADEN. SUEZ, PORT SAID. MEDITERRANEAN, AND BLACK SEA PORTS ALEXANDRIA MARSEILLES. AND PORTS OF BRAZIL AND LA PLATA; LONDON, HAVRE, AND BORDEAUX: IN WEDNESDAY, the 5th March, 1890, at Noon, the Company's Steamship "NATAL," Commandant Such, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above places. Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe. . . .

Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M. Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M., on the 4th March, 1890. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and Value of Packages are For further particulars, apply at the Comрацу в Office. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

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"PARTUIA." 3.167 Tons Register, Cantain F. H. Wallace, will be despatched for VANCOUVER, B.C. VIA INLAND SEA KOBE, and YOKO-HAMA, on THURSDAY, the 6th March, at To be followed by the S. S. "BATAVIA," prepared to acon, 3rd April, and S. S. "ABYSSINIA" on Current rates.

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Agents. Hongkong, 7th February, 1890. FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG. FINES/S L. I. I. German Ship J. W. GILDEMEI-TER" will load here for the above. Ports, and will have quick desputch. For Proight, apply to mind to bed CARLOWITZ& Co. Hongkong, 11th December, 1889. 12577

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THE FRENCH MAIL.

The M. M. steamer Djemnah, with the French mail of the 25th January, left-Singapore at BILLS OF LADING FOR THE PRINCIPAL 6 p.m. on the 20th, and may be expected here on or about the 27th instant. THE AMERICAN MAILS. The O. & O. steamer Occanic with the Ameri-

> STI-ANERS EXPECTED. The steamer Albany left Singapore on the 15th, and is due here on the 22nd inst. The P. & O. extra steamer Thibel left The China Mutual steamer Ningchow left

The O. S. S. Co.'s etcamor Palamed left Singapore on the 17th, and is due here on or, about the 24th inst. The Glen Line steamer Glenfruin left Singapore on the evening of the 20th, and is due here

Singapore on the morning of the 18th, and is

due here on or about the 24th inst.

on the 26th inst. - TOST-OFFICE NOT CES.

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[216] morrow, the 29rd inst., at 9.00 A.M. For Kudat and Sandakan.—Per Memnon, on Monday, the 24th inst., at 11.30 ▲.m. For Timor, Port Darwin, Thursday Island, Cooktown, Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney, Melbourne, and Adelaide. Per Airlie, on Monday, the 24th inst., at 5.00 P.M. For Swatow, Amoy, and Foochow.—Per Haitan, on Monday, the 24th inst., at 5.00 P.M. For Yokohama and San Francisco.—Per City of Peking, on Wednesday, the 26th inst., at I1.00 A.M. For Naossaki, Kobe, and Yokohama,—Per Ancong, on Thursday, the 27th inst., at 5.00 P.M.

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